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Mr. President, a motion on the desk. I move that the rules be suspended and LB 582 be placed on the top of General File. Signed, Senator Mahoney.

PRESIDENT: Senator Mahoney.

SENATOR MAHONEY: Mr. President, this bill was introduced by Senator Simpson. There has to be something right now to take place in order to place the racing business in this state in an area where there was a technicality. Unless we place this bill on General File and move it across we're going to be too late to be able to do the things with it that are necessary to save the state. I think it's a very necessary bill and not controversial. It is . . . everybody agreed on it. It's just something that we've lacked that should go on General File, as Senator Simpson gave in his beginning remarks this morning on the introduction.

PRESIDENT: Would you please write out the rule that you want suspended Senator Mahoney.

CLERK: Mr. President, it would be to amend Rule 3, Section 19.

PRESIDENT: Could we have it in writing please.

CLERK: I have it in writing.

PRESIDENT: Now which rule? Which rule is it again? There's a motion to suspend Rule 3, Section 19. Any discussion? Record your vote. Record the vote. Senator Simpson.

SENATOR SIMPSON: We're short votes. I would ask that the House go under Call.

PRESIDENT: The question is should the House go under Call. Record your vote. Record the vote Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 20 ayes, 0 nays.

PRESIDENT: The House is under Call. Would all Senators please take their seats. All non-senatorial personnel leave the chamber.

CLERK: Savage voting aye. Senator Keyes voting aye. Senator Luedtke voting aye. Senator Kelly voting aye. Senator Cope voting aye. Senator Kennedy and Maresh voting aye. Senator Carsten voting aye. Senator George voting aye.

SENATOR SIMPSON: Mr. President, I move to raise the Call.

PRESIDENT: There is a motion to raise the Call. Record your vote. Record Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 36 ayes to raise the Call.

PRESIDENT: The Call is raised. Report the vote Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 32 ayes, Mr. President.